

# PROCTOR, HOWARD PERCIVAL

## EARLY LIFE

**Oct 14, 1889**

Born in Kettleby, Ontario to Wakefield Gershom and Minerva "Minnie" (Stokes) Proctor. He was the older brother of ***Gershom Cleaver Proctor***.

**1891 Census**

Age 1

Lived in King Township, Ontario with Wakefield Proctor (head of house – father, age 36), Minnie Proctor (mother, age 32), Bartley Proctor (brother, age 12) and Clarence Proctor (brother, age 9).

**1901 Census**

Age 11

Lived in King Township, Ontario with Wakefield Proctor (head of house – father, age 46), Minnie Proctor (mother, age 42), Gershom Proctor (brother, age 9) and Mary Stokes (maternal grandmother, age 67).

**1911 Census**

Age 21

Lived on Park Avenue in Newmarket, Ontario with Wakefield Proctor (head of house – father, age 56), Minnie Proctor (mother, age 52), Gershom Proctor (brother, age 19), William Proctor (brother, age 9) and Frank Paxton (boarder, age 18).

## MILITARY SERVICE

**Mar 3, 1916**

Attested to the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion, Canadian Over-seas Expeditionary Force

**Attestation  
Paper**

- **Number:** 322863
- **Present address:** Newmarket, Ontario
- **Next of kin given:** Mrs. W.G. Proctor (Mother) in Newmarket, Ontario
- **Trade or calling:** Mechanic
- **Married:** No
- **Previous military experience:** No
- **Religion:** None stated
- **Physical attributes:**
  - **Age:** 25 years, 5 months
  - **Height:** 5'9"
  - **Complexion:** Dark
  - **Eyes:** Blue
  - **Hair:** Dark
  - **Distinctive marks:** Small round scar 1 inch to left of left eye, small brown birth mark on inner surface left arm and 1-inch-long scar on right elbow

## AFTER THE WAR

**1921 Census**

Age 32

Lived at 1124 Angus Street in Regina Saskatchewan and worked as a machinist. He lived with Denis Budd (head of house – age 31), Ethel Budd (wife of Denis, age 43) and William Budd (son of Denis, age 1).

**1980**

Age 91

Howard passed away.

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*Women's Institute - Kettleby: Miscellaneous pg. 5*



KETTLEBY BOYS PLAYING HOCKEY BACK OF THE STORE: - Ira Clubine, William Proctor, Harvey Burling, Howard Proctor, Charles Davis, Fred Stephenson, George Stephenson, James Murray, Edward West, Merten Robinson, Thos. Burling, Rankin Hughey, James Ree, Wm. Ramsden, Fred Chappell, Pres. Dutcher, Townley Watson, Frank Paxton, Gerschom Proctor, Harold Murray, Lorne Stephenson and Lorne Bogert.

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GUILD LIST OF BOYS OVERSEAS FROM KETTLEBY AREA.

Edward S. Williams ..Wounded.	S. Brown.....Killed.
S. J. Archibald.	G. Proctor.
W. M. Watson.....Wounded.	H. Proctor.
E. J. Watson.....Killed.	J. T. Jenkins.
L. Robb. ✓	Geo. Howitt.
Carl Grainger.	Harry Mount. ✓
L. Waldock. ✓	James Allen.
A. Burdette.	Geo. Jefferson.
D. Powell.	C. McKinley.
Rev. J. E. Gibson.	A. McKinley.
G. Anning.	Harold Cook.
A. Holmes.....Prisoner.	W. Woods.
Folten Fox.	E. Hutchins.
M. L. C. Mitchell.	